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Application No.  
10/623,200-Conf. #2841

Filing Date  
July 18, 2003

Examiner  
K. D. Mullen

Art Unit  
3766

Applicant(s): Thomas P. Osypka

Invention: IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC LEAD HAVING REMOVABLE FLUID DELIVERY PORT

### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Thomas P. OSYPKA )  
Serial No.: 10/623,200 ) Group Art Unit: 3766  
Filed: July 18, 2003 ) Examiner: Mullen, Kristen Drosch  
For: **IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC LEAD** )  
**HAVING REMOVABLE FLUID** )  
**DELIVERY PORT** ) Confirmation No. 2841

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as set forth hereinbelow.

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